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DESPAIRED OF HIS COUNTRY.—The following

generous article from the New York Times,

a determined political opponent of its subject,

reflects credit on the journal and atones for

many of its political offences.

The suicide of Hon. Elijah Hise, member of

Congress from Kentucky, seems to have been

attended with circumstances and prompted by

motives which make it peculiarly melancholy.

He is said to have left a note stating that in

the present condition of public affairs, his ad-

vanced age rendered him powerless to do any

good, and he preferred not to make the at-

tempt. Mr. Hise held a seat during the last

session of the thirty-ninth Congress, having

been chosen to fill a vacancy. He took a

warm interest in the action of the House, and

spoke several times on the subject of de-

bate—the restoration of the Union. His views,

being those of the old State Rights school,

were received with contempt as well as dis-

favor by the exultant and somewhat arrogant

Republican majority—and this was extended,

it must be to their discredit be added, to his

style of speaking—which was slow, measured

and altogether too serious and sincere for the

flippant tone and temper of the House. Mr. Hise

was a short, stout man, of dark complexion,

with iron-grey hair brushed back from his fore-

head, a handsome earnest face which bore the

marks of the deep, sad concern which he felt

to his heart's core for the condition and pros-

pects of the country. He had a clear logical

mind and always made speeches well worthy of

a degree of attention which was seldom given

them in that House. On one occasion, during

a night session, when he was brought in long

after midnight under a call from the House,

and required to give a reason for his absence,

he proceeded to say that he was wearied by

the long session and greatly depressed in spirit

by the tone of the debates and what seemed to

him the sad condition of public affairs; and,

feeling that he could be of no service there, he

had yielded to this depression and gone home.

Quite incapable of believing such declarations

sincere and entitled to respect, the members

were indignant to regard them as insulting to

the dignity of the House, and demands were

made that they should be resented and punished.

Conscious of his own perfect sincerity, Mr.

Hise was utterly bewildered by this reception

of what he had said—but after a little time he

proceeded, while disavowing any such thought

or purpose as was imputed to him, to explain

and vindicate what he had said; and, as he

did with so much dignity, calmness and self-

possession, that even the scoffing

rallies which had assailed him were forced into

silence and respect. He was a man of the

greatest possible sincerity—of fine talents, an

accomplished and successful lawyer, and held

in the highest personal esteem by all who knew

him.

"FIDELITY OF MR. DAVIS'S SERVANTS.—

Married, on Tuesday night, May 7th, at

Fortress Monroe, Carroll Hall, by the Rev. O. S.

Barten, Rector of Christ Church, Norfolk,

FREDERICK MCINNIS to ELLEN BARNES.

The above describes more than a passing

notice. It is not often, in these days, that we

witness such faithfulness and devotion on the

part of servants. Both parties belonged to

Mr. Davis's household, and have shared with

him and his family their long protracted im-

prisonment. They were his servants in Rich-

mond, and have remained true and devoted to

him through good and evil report. When,

after the evacuation of Richmond, the family

were compelled to move Southward, Ellen

could not be persuaded to leave them, but

faithfully shared with them the toil and suf-

fering of those fearful days.

When, after Mr. Davis's capture and his re-

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

TO THE PUBLIC.—THREE HUNDRED

DOLLARS REWARD!—We, the undersigned, in-

surance agents of Alexandria, feeling fully con-

vinced that the unprecedented number of fires,

lately occurring in this city, are caused alone

through the agency of incendiaries, do hereby

offer the above reward of three hundred dollars

to any person or persons for the apprehension

and conviction of any incendiary or confederate

in the destruction of private property within

the corporate limits of the city of Alexandria.

G. I. THOMAS.

JAMIESON & BRO.

HOPE & WEDDERBURN.

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KNOW THY DESTINY.—MADAME E. F.

THORNTON, the great English Astrologist, Clair-

voyant and Psychometrist, who has astonished

the scientific classes of the Old World, has

now located herself at Hudson, N.Y. Madame

Thornton possesses such wonderful powers of

second sight, as to enable her to impart knowl-

edge of the greatest importance to the single or

married of either sex. While in a state of trance,

she delineates the very features of the person

you are to marry, and by the aid of an instru-

ment of intense power, known as the Psychom-

etrope, guarantees to produce a life-like picture

of the future husband or wife of the applicant,

together with date of marriage, position in life,

leading traits of character, &c. This is no hum-

bug, as thousands of testimonials can attest.—

She will send, when desired, a certified copy-

right, or written guarantee, that the picture is

what it purports to be. By enclosing a small

lock of hair, and stating place of birth, age,

disposition and complexion, and enclosing fifty

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Hudson, N. Y. mh 22-ly

A YOUNG LADY returning to her coun-

try home, after a sojourn of a few months in the

city, was hardly recognized by her friends. In

place of a coarse, rustic, flushed face, she had

a soft, ruddy complexion of almost marble smooth-

ness, and instead of twenty-three she really ap-

peared but eighteen. Upon inquiry as to the

cause of so great a change, she plainly told them

that she used the CIRCASSIAN BALM, and con-

sidered it an invaluable acquisition to any lady's

toilet. By its use any lady or gentleman can

improve their personal appearance an hundred

fold. It is simple in its combination, as Nature

herself is simple, yet unsurpassed in its efficacy

in drawing impurities from, also healing, clean-

sing and beautifying the skin and complexion.

By its direct action on the cuticle it draws from

it all its impurities, kindly healing the same,

and leaving the surface as nature intended it

should be, clear, soft, smooth and beautiful.—

Price \$1, sent by Mail or Express, on receipt of

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REMINGTON, the world-renowned Astrologist

and Somnambulist Clairvoyant, while in a

clairvoyant state, delineates the very features

of the person you are to marry, and by the aid

of an instrument of intense power, known as

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perfect and life-like picture of the future hus-

band or wife of the applicant, with date of mar-

riage, occupation, leading traits of character,

&c. This is no imposition, as testimonials with-

out number can attest. By stating place of

birth, age, disposition, color of eyes and hair,

and enclosing fifty cents, and stamped envelope

addressed to yourself, you will receive the pic-

ture by return mail, together with desired in-

formation.

Address, in confidence, MADAME GE-

TRUDE REMINGTON, P. O. Box 297, West Troy,

New York. mh 12-ly

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REDUCTION IN PRICES!

CLOSING OUT STOCK OF DRY GOODS.

Intending to turn my attention for the present

exclusively to the wholesale and retail of

WHITE GOODS, FANCY GOODS, AND

NOTIONS.

will offer my entire stock of DRY GOODS at a

heavy discount on present prices, and those

wishing to secure bargains should call at once.

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which in every respect is now as complete as

can be found in any city.

The line of DRESS TRIMMINGS cannot be

excelled in style and cheapness.

Sun Umbrellas, Parasols and Fans, a full

line of Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings, and

Department, complete. The following goods,

direct from manufacturers, will be sold at

wholesale as low as they bought, viz: Um-

## RAILROAD LINES.

MANASSAS GAP RAILROAD.

NOTICE.—The Manassas Gap Railroad will

commence running Freight Trains from Alex-

andria to Piedmont and intermediate stations,

on Tuesday, the 22d instant, and will receive

freight on and after Saturday, the 20th instan-

tly, (Sundays excepted) between the hours of

9 a. m. and 4 p. m., at the outer depot of the

O. & A. R. R.

THREE TRAINS WEEKLY.

Leaving Alexandria, Tuesdays, Thursdays

and Saturdays, at 7.20 a. m., and returning leave

Piedmont on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fri-

days, at 10.30 a. m.

There will be a passenger car attached to con-

vey passengers to and from Manassas Junction,

and Piedmont and intermediate stations, con-

necting with the O. & A. R. R. passenger train

at Manassas Junction. ISAAC DENHAM,

Acting Superintendent.

ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA R. R.

On and after SUNDAY, January 27th, two

daily passenger trains will run between WASH-

INGTON and LYNCHBURG, via train con-

necting at Gordonsville with the Virginia Cen-

tral Railroad to RICHMOND, and both trains

at LYNCHBURG with the Virginia and Ten-

nessee Railroad, for NEW ORLEANS and in-

termediate points.

Through tickets, and baggage checked to

RICHMOND, and all points South and West.

Leave Washington daily at 6.20 a. m. and 6.30

p. m.; and Alexandria at 7.15 a. m. and 7.25

p. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 4.25 p. m., and

at Richmond at 4.30 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 7.25 a. m. and 7.25 p. m.,

arriving at Alexandria at 4.45 p. m. and 5.20 a. m.

and at Washington at 5.35 p. m. and 6.25 a. m.

J. M. BROADUS,

General Ticket Agent.

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REFRIGERATORS

WATER COOLERS.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS.

The subscriber has just received direct from

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The REFRIGERATORS are something en-

tirely new in this market, combining utility

with cleanliness; being perfectly destitute of

any odor, and, in fact, are the most

perfect thing of the kind ever offered in this

market.

WATER COOLERS of the newest patterns,

and of every size, have been received, beautiful

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and presenting such a selection as can fail to please.

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